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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

: IN RE: ASBESTOS PRODUCTS

Consolidated Under MDL 875

LIABILITY LITIGATION (No. VI) :

VARIOUS PLAINTIFFS

Previously transferred cases with no scheduling order

V.

entered

VARIOUS DEFENDANTS

MICHAEL E. KUNZ, Clerk By\_\_\_\_\_ Dep. Clerk

## ORDER

## STATUS AND SCHEDULING CONFERENCE

AND NOW, this 3rd day of January, 2011, it is hereby ORDERED that the cases listed in Exhibit "A," attached, a status and scheduling conference will be held in the cases listed in Exhibit "A," attached, on Tuesday, January 25th at 2:00pm in Courtroom 11A, United States Courthouse, 601 Market Street, Philadelphia, PA 19106. Prior to the conference, counsel shall review and ascertain the status of each case.

It is further ORDERED that failure to appear at the hearing and/or conference shall result in the dismissal of the case.

It is further ORDERED that counsel for each plaintiff appearing at the conference shall be prepared to provide the following information to the court:

a.) Each defendant with whom plaintiff has achieved resolution of his or her claim.

- b.) Each defendant that plaintiff now desires to dismiss from the action.
- c.) Each defendant that is currently in bankruptcy with a claim pending.
- d.) Each unsettled defendant not in bankruptcy ("unsettled
  defendants").

It is further **ORDERED** that, as to all unsettled defendants, counsel for the plaintiff and defendant in each case shall be prepared to report to the court:

- a.) Status of compliance with Administrative Orders no. 12,12 as amended, and 14.
- b.) Any outstanding discovery.
- c.) Any discovery that is still needed and a timetable for its completion.
- d.) Whether the plaintiff has obtained a medical diagnosing report or opinion upon which the plaintiff now relies for prosecuting his or her claim, if so, counsel shall provide the name and address of the physician or medical provider who has supplied the diagnosing report or opinion.
- e.) Any motions pending.
- f.) Readiness for trial and a proposed trial date.2

A written report for submission to the court is not necessary, however, counsel must be prepared to provide this information to the court promptly when the case is called.

Given the ages of many of these cases, the court will order presumptively that any outstanding discovery be completed within 90 days and that the parties be ready for trial within 120

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It is further **ORDERED** that, prior to the hearing,

Plaintiffs' counsel may submit a letter to the court with a list
of cases which may be dismissed with prejudice or dismissed as to
the viable defendants and moved to the bankruptcy only docket.

The letter should include the E.D. Pa case number, the name of
the plaintiff(s), and whether the case should be dismissed with
prejudice or dismissed as to the viable defendants and moved to
the bankruptcy only docket. Those cases will be removed from the
list, and appropriate orders will be entered.

AND IT IS SO ORDERED

EDUARDO C. ROBRENO, J.

days from the date of the hearing.

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#### Exhibit A

2:07-cv-74077-ER	JIMMY SIMMONS	12/10/2007	LA-W	
2:07-cv-74077-ER	JANET SIMMONS	12/10/2007	LA-W	
2:07-cv-74109-ER	MARTHA STRATTON	12/10/2007	LA-W	
2:07-cv-74109-ER	LUTHER STRATTON	12/10/2007	LA-W	
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2:09-cv-62567-ER	RAMON PEREZ	2/9/2009	AZ	
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2:07-cv-73952-ER	PEARL EMMONS	12/10/2007	LA-E	
2:07-cv-73975-ER	HAROLD MCELYEA	12/10/2007	LA-E	
2:07-cv-74141-ER	WILLIAM DENNISON	12/10/2007	LA-M	
2:07-cv-74077-ER	JIMMY SIMMONS	12/10/2007	LA-W	Duplicate-Above
2:07-cv-74077-ER	JANET SIMMONS	12/10/2007	LA-W	1 linke - Hood
2:07-cv-74109-ER	MARTHA STRATTON	12/10/2007	LA-W	Doblica
2:07-cv-74109-ER	LUTHER STRATTON	12/10/2007	LA-W	/ ' '
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2:09-cv-92436-ER	ROLAND GOBEIL	12/1/2009	MA
2:09-cv-92437-ER	SHEILA VAN RIPER	12/1/2009	MA

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#### MAILED:

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